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#### **SUPPLEMENTAL ACTION**

1. This communication is supplemental to the Notice of Allowance mailed 8/6/2007 concerning the instant application.

### Information Disclosure Statement

The listing of references in the search report complies with 37 CFR 1.98. 37 CFR
 1.98(a)(2) and have been considered. Accordingly the examiner has considered all references cited in the Search Report cited as a Non-Patent literature document. (See initialed copy attached herewith).

## Allowable Subject Matter

3. Claims 1-10 are allowed. Please refer to office action dated 8/6/07 for discussion of prior art and reasons for allowance.

#### Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to JAGDISH PATEL whose telephone number is (571) 272-6748. The examiner can normally be reached on 800AM-630PM Mon-Tue and Thu.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, **KRAMER JAMES A** can be reached on **(571)272-6783**. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 517-273-8300.

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